Division Chief of the NIST Statistical Engineering Division, Washington, DC Area

The Information Technology Laboratory (ITL) at the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) is seeking a highly qualified individual for the position of Division Chief for the Statistical Engineering Division (SED). The Division Chief provides executive direction for the scientific and technical activities of SED and is responsible for administrative, financial and personnel management. The Division consists of highly qualified senior researchers and practitioners, mid-career professionals, and post-doctoral fellows. The current staff includes approximately 20 full-time staff members and 5 NIST Associates (domestic/foreign guest researchers, contractors, etc.). The staff is also assisted by academic faculty and students.

Statistical Engineering Division staff collaborate with NIST scientists and engineers and industrial partners on a broad range of scientific and technological projects in areas including: information technology; physics; chemistry; materials science; electrical engineering; manufacturing; biotechnology and nanotechnology. SED staff participate in the planning and analysis of experiments and develop appropriate statistical methods, stochastic models, and computational tools to facilitate the implementation of modern statistical design, analysis and process control procedures.

The Division Chief will be responsible for developing and executing an operational plan in alignment with the strategic goals of the Laboratory and NIST. He/she will review and assure the relevance of its programs to ITL and NIST missions and national goals and its quality and productivity. The Chief will be responsible for developing new collaborative opportunities and funding proposals with NIST scientists and engineers. The Chief may be called upon to represent the Laboratory and the Institute at technical meetings; on government policy-level committees and boards of scientific, technical, and standards organizations; and in developing policy for interagency/international programs. Applicants should have strong experience in management and recognition in the statistics profession. Appointment is at the ZP-V level (equivalent to GS-15); salary range \$107,521 - \$139,774.

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